



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 5
77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD
CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

FEB 20 2019

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Recommendation to Issue a Notice of Violation and
and Finding of Violation to Didion Milling, Inc.

FROM: Sara J. Breneman, Chief *SB*
Air Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Branch

TO: Edward Nam, Director
Air and Radiation Division

I recommend that you issue a Notice and Finding of Violation (NOV/FOV) to Didion Milling, Inc. (Didion) of Cambria, Wisconsin, for violating the Wisconsin State Implementation Plan (SIP) and applicable National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP), New Source Performance Standards (NSPS), and Title V Permit Provisions. Specifically, Didion operates an ethanol production facility and is subject to the Wisconsin SIP, NSPS Subpart VVa for equipment leaks of volatile organic compounds (VOCs), and the NESHAP for miscellaneous organic chemical manufacturing (the MON). Didion has been venting VOCs and organic hazardous air pollutants uncontrolled from the top of its fermentation process and improperly operating the associated loadout flare, in violation of the Wisconsin SIP, NSPS Subpart VVa and the MON.

EPA discovered these violations during an on-site inspection conducted June 28, 2018, and subsequent information provided by Didion.

State Representative Contacted: Maria Hill and Barbara Pavliscak

Date: February 7, 2019

By: Sarah Marshall

Attachments